

# Sept 2, 2018

## Upcoming

**Sept. 11** 6:00 pm; United Methodist Men  
**Sept. 16** 9:35 am; Acolyte Training in Sanctuary  
Noon; Costa Rica Informational meeting  
5:00 pm; Chat with Matt

## Thank you to our Ushers & Communion Servers

### Altar Guild:

Rose Skinner, Chair; Anne Davis,  
Toni Franklin, Flossie Tugwell

**On September 9** we will kick off the children's ministry and fall programming. F.A.I.T.H. Friends (Friends Actively Involved Through Him) meets from 5:00 - 7:00 pm on Sunday evenings and is for children in Pre-K through 5th grade. Come hangout with your friends as we live, laugh, love and learn together in His word!



**JOIN THE ADVENTURE**

**S.W.I.F.T Serving and witnessing in fellowship together** - Welcome ANY adults who are seeking a genuine and fun community in the church and want to nurture their relationship with God. Because this time of life can be hectic, we have an open discussion/video format using a variety of teaching sources! We will begin with a study of the book of Ruth by Bianca Juarez Olthoff. Sometimes God can seem distant when dreams fade, people die, or careers fail. The book of Ruth shows us that we have hope and God is faithful. Join us as we discover God's love and redemption through this study. **We will begin September 9th at 9:45 upstairs!**

**United Methodist Men will meet Tuesday 11 Sept 2018 at 6 PM** with guest speaker Don Hoffer. Don is presently employed by the Federal Government and is working in Norfolk with the U.S. Naval Submarine Force. He will be giving a presentation on "The United States Submarine Force of today." All men are invited to join!



**MISSION OPPORTUNITY-COSTA RICA:** We continue to follow Gods calling in nurturing our relationship with Strong Missions. In doing so, we are planning to return to Costa Rica with a mission team in July 2019. If you have a passion for serving others or just want to learn more about this exciting opportunity, please join us.

**WHAT:** Informational Meeting **WHEN:** Sunday, September 16, immediately following the 11:00 am worship service. **WHERE:** Sunday School Room, K Class.

**CONTACT:** Ed and Rhonda Bethea (919) 616-1144, [rlbbethea@gmail.com](mailto:rlbbethea@gmail.com)

**WE BELIEVE:** Short term missions are most powerful when they build relationships. We realize the importance of entering into a covenant partnership with the local people and projects by committing our presence, prayers and resources on an ongoing basis.

**LEARN MORE:** Strong Missions works to break the cycle of poverty in the lives of families and at-risk youth in Costa Rica. Find out more at [strongmissions.com](http://strongmissions.com)

Are you currently leading a Small Group/Bible Study? Are you interested in leading a Small Group/Bible Study? If you answered yes to one or both of these questions please join Pastor Matt on **September 19th for a Small Group/Bible Study discussion.** God has laid it upon my heart to see some church wide Small Group/Bible Study opportunities develop for our church family and community. I would love to share this with those who may feel called, gifted, and willing to lead. This is open to anyone who wants to be part of the conversation. Contact Pastor Matt at [mseals@nccumc.org](mailto:mseals@nccumc.org) for more information.



## 2018 Tour of Prayer

**Join the Beacon District of the United Methodist Church in covering our region with prayer.** Come help us Pray with and for Public Officials. Habakkuk's Prayer for Revival "Lord, I have heard of your fame, I stand in awe of your deeds, repeat them in our day, in our time make them known." Habakkuk 3: 2

**Meet others at the Dare County Court House Steps; 12 Noon on September 21**

Additional Prayer Tour locations and dates: Chowan County, August 25 (Old Courthouse); Tyrrell County, Sept. 4; Camden County, Sept. 5; Hertford County, Sept. 6; Hyde County, Sept.7; Gates County, Sept. 10; Martin County, Sept.11; Pitt County, Sept.12; Beaufort County, Sept.13; Pasquotank County, Sept. 14; Perquimans County, Sept. 17; Washington County, Sept. 18; Currituck County, Sept. 27, and Bertie County, Sept.28 Everyone in the Community is invited. For more information contact your local United Methodist Church.

**It's time for the Annual Church Picnic on Sunday, Sept 30th  
Sunday School @ 8:45 am ~ Combined Worship @ 10:00 am**

**Church Picnic noon – 2:00 @ Old Swimming Hole, across from the Manteo Airport**

Everyone is cordially invited to attend this event, *please bring a side dish to share with all in attendance.* Hamburgers, hot dogs, and drinks will be provided. We will have games and a few fishing supplies on hand. Everyone is invited to bring your favorite outdoor game and/or fishing rod and join in the fun!





## Children's Ministries

Birth – 5<sup>th</sup> grade 252-473-2089 Ext. 29  
olivetkids@mountolivetumc.org

**Sunday School** - 9:45 AM today, upstairs in Room 200. Join us as we as we continue to build our faith through legos. **K-5th**

**September 9** we will kick off the children's ministry and fall programming.



## Youth Ministries

6<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> grade students  
unless otherwise noted  
thecoveobx@gmail.com

**Sunday School** At The Cove Bring your Bibles as we dig deep into God's word, 9:45 am Sundays.

**Starting this Wed. High School Bible Study**, 7:30-9:00 pm at The Cove; open to all 9<sup>th</sup> -12<sup>th</sup> students.

**This Thurs. morning Youth Breakfast, 7 -7:40 am!** Hot breakfast & guest speaker each Thurs. when school is in session! Transportation is provided to school.

**Sunday Night Youth Group** will begin on Sept. 16th!

**Stay connected** on Facebook @ The Cove Student Ministries or Instagram @TheCoveOBX for up to date information.



## Music Ministries

252-473-2089 Ext. 24  
nschierer@mountolivetumc.org

**Chancel Choir** meets this Thursday at 7:00 PM.

**Resounding Praise** meets this Thursday at 6:00 PM.

**Youth Praise** meet TONIGHT at 7:00 PM.

**Christmas Cantata!** Would you share your singing talents by joining us for our Christmas Cantata? We will begin rehearsals for our Cantata: **The Glory of Christmas** on Thursday, September 13 at 7:00 PM. We would love to have YOU join us! We will perform the cantata on December 9 at 10:00 AM.



**Young Adults**, join us on Sunday mornings - 9:45am as we study the Bible at Front Porch Cafe.

**Men's Bible Study meets Mondays 7:00 PM.** Please join us as we study the book of 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Samuel . The only book you need is the Bible; no sign up is required. Come explore God's Word with us!

## Missions Opportunities

We are thankful that Carol Nease has joined the Pantry Team for the Tues. rotation that was unfilled. We are also thankful that Estelle Midgette is back on duty ; filling in for some open days on the schedule for the next few months. We want you to **join the Food Pantry Team**; if you are interested contact Bob or Angela, 473-3814, abnoffsinger@embarqmail.com about ways you can volunteer at the Pantry; picking up donations from Fresh Market or helping on the third Wednesday of each month from 1 pm to 3 pm to distribute food from the Mobile Food Pantry.

Everyone is invited to join the **Prayer Blanket team** the first & third Wed. of each month 10 AM. The only skills needed are a heart for ministry, your time, & the ability to cut with scissors or tie a knot.



## Happy Birthday

- Sept. 2 - Karen Zillifro
- 3 - Eugene Grissom, Emily Brown
- 4 - Flossie Tugwell, Kimrey Keith
- 5 - Luke Zottoli
- 6 - Mike Wilson, Jerri Hopkins
- 7 - Frank Adams, Mari Beth LaRose

## Happy Anniversary

- Sept. 1: Lee & Tiffany Martin – 5 yrs.
- Sept. 1: Reuben & Jean Payne – 24 yrs.
- Sept. 3: Scott & Deb Hill – 8 yrs.
- Sept. 3: Rodney & Sarah Benson – 30 yrs.
- Sept. 5: Cam & Angie Sellers – 37 yrs.

### Mount Olivet United Methodist Church offers Online Giving Options

At mountolivetumc.org through the online giving tab or with your smartphone QR code reader



#### Sunday, August 26, 2018

Sunday School: 101 Church Services: 204  
2018 Budget - \$619,377.00

Received August 26, 2018 - \$5,298.18

Needed to date - \$404,977.40

Needed Weekly - \$11,911.10

Year to date Budget Deficit - (\$35,706.20)

Received to date - \$369,271.20

#### Amounts Received into Activities Accounts on August 26, 2018

Choir Fund - \$46.00

Prayer Blanket Ministry - \$39.00

Caring Ministry - \$65.00

Koinonia Class - \$7.00

Roanoke Island Food Pantry - \$22.50

Helping Hands - \$350.00

Missions - \$267.50

United Methodist Men - \$15.00

Discussion Class - \$21.50

Youth Ministry - \$96.00

Pastor's Discretionary - \$82.00

Music / Drama - \$50.00

Evangelism - \$39.00

God's House Repairs - \$26.00

Cove Snacks - \$5.00

Covenant Class - \$8.00

Memorial Facilities Trust Income - \$840.52

Forward in Faith Capital Campaign - \$210.00

Roland & Irma Sawyer Memorial Facilities Trust Income - \$1,761.93